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Measures of local sanitation.

Under date of March 22, 1907, the governor of the island directs that all premises on which a case of yellow fever has occurred shall be fumigated. All water containers are required to be covered with wire gauze, and all standing water shall be kept covered with a thin film of oil or stocked with mosquito-destroying fish. Premises shall be kept free from old cans, boxes, shells, etc.; pits shall be cleaned and disinfected or oiled, and drain pipes and gutters from roofs of houses shall be kept clean and in good order.

FOREIGN AND INSULAR STATISTICAL REPORTS OF COUNTRIES AND
CITIES UNTABULATED.

AFRICA—*Zanzibar*.—Two weeks ended March 21, 1907. Estimated population, 150,000. Total number of deaths, 41, including 5 from tuberculosis.

AUSTRALIA—*New South Wales*—*New Castle*.—Month of January, 1907. Estimated population, 51,250. Total number of deaths, 50, including enteric fever 2, measles 1, whooping cough 1, and 2 from tuberculosis.

Month of February, 1907. Total number of deaths, 44, including enteric fever 1, measles 1, whooping cough 3, and 2 from tuberculosis.

Sydney.—Month of February, 1907. Estimated population, 529,600. Total number of deaths, 400, including diphtheria 3, enteric fever 5, measles 2, plague 6, scarlet fever 2, whooping cough 13, and 40 from tuberculosis.

Queensland—*Brisbane*.—Month of January, 1907. Estimated population, 129,736. Total number of deaths, 150, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 1, and plague 4.

Month of February, 1907. Total number of deaths, 92, including enteric fever 1, dengue fever 1, and plague 5.

BAHAMAS—*Nassau*.—Two weeks ended April 20, 1907. Estimated population, 12,656. Three deaths reported.

BRAZIL.—State of São Paulo, including the cities of *São Paulo*, *Santos*, and *Campinas*.—Week ended March 3, 1907. Estimated population, 300,000. Total number of deaths, 151, including measles 2, diphtheria 2, leprosy 1, enteric fever 1, and 11 from tuberculosis. Week ended March 10, 1907. Total number of deaths, 165, including enteric fever 2, measles 1, and 15 from tuberculosis.

Ceara.—Month of February, 1907. Estimated population, 50,000. Total number of deaths, 97, including 25 from whooping cough.

Pernambuco.—Two weeks ended February 28, 1907. Estimated population, 210,000. Total number of deaths, 293, including enteric fever 1, smallpox 55, plague 3, leprosy 1, and 48 from tuberculosis.

Santos.—Month of February, 1907. Estimated population, 65,000.

Total number of deaths, 18, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 1, plague 1, and 12 from tuberculosis.

COSTA RICA—*San Jose*.—Month of January, 1907. Estimated population, 25,000. Total number of deaths, 61, including whooping cough 1 and 2 from tuberculosis. Month of February, 1907. Total number of deaths, 48, including enteric fever 3 and 1 from tuberculosis.

CUBA.—Month of March, 1907. Reports from the 6 provinces, having an aggregate population of 1,572,797, show as follows: Deaths from contagious diseases: Diphtheria 12, enteric fever 6, malarial fever 12, dengue 2, leprosy 3, measles 6, scarlet fever 1, whooping cough 1, and 99 from tuberculosis.

Habana.—Year ended December 31, 1906. Estimated population, 280,000. Total number of deaths, 6,144, including diphtheria 37, enteric fever 54, measles 16, scarlet fever 2, whooping cough 5, yellow fever 12, leprosy 25, dengue 1, and 1,158 from tuberculosis.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC—*Santo Domingo*.—Year ended December 31, 1906. Estimated population, 25,000. Total number of deaths, 314, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 9, and 54 from tuberculosis.

DUTCH GUIANA—*Paramaribo*.—Month of March, 1907. Estimated population, 34,085. Total number of deaths, 92. No deaths from contagious diseases reported. Malarial fever prevalent.

FRANCE—*Calais*.—Month of March, 1907. Estimated population, 66,627. Total number of deaths, 139, including 30 from tuberculosis.

GREAT BRITAIN—*England and Wales*.—The deaths registered in 76 great towns in England and Wales during the week ended April 6, 1907, correspond to an annual rate of 17.9 per 1,000 of population, which is estimated at 16,024,458.

London.—One thousand six hundred and twenty-seven deaths were registered during the week, including measles 63, scarlet fever 13, diphtheria 19, enteric fever 4, whooping cough 63, and 10 from diarrhea. The deaths from all causes correspond to an annual rate of 17.8 per 1,000. In Greater London 2,241 deaths were registered. In the "outer ring" the deaths included 11 from diphtheria, 10 from measles, 12 from whooping cough, and 2 from scarlet fever.

Portsmouth.—Four weeks ended March 16, 1907. Estimated population, 208,291. Total number of deaths, 344, including diphtheria 5, measles 30, scarlet fever 1, and whooping cough 6.

Ireland.—The average annual death rate represented by the deaths registered during the week ended April 6, 1907, in the 21 principal town districts of Ireland was 25 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,117,547. The lowest rate was recorded in Dundalk, viz, 4, and the highest in Kilkenny, viz, 49.1, per 1,000. In Dublin and suburbs 219 deaths were registered, including diphtheria 3, measles 3, typhus fever 1, whooping cough 8, and 51 from tuberculosis.

Scotland.—The deaths registered in 8 principal towns during the week ended April 6, 1907, correspond to an annual rate of 19.4 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,812,171. The lowest rate of mortality was recorded in Paisley, viz, 12.9, and the highest in Perth, viz, 24, per 1,000. The aggregate number of deaths registered from all causes was 673, including diphtheria 5, enteric fever 6, measles 3, scarlet fever 4, and 40 from whooping cough.

HAWAII—Honolulu.—Month of March, 1907. Estimated population, 39,306. Total number of deaths reported, 91, including enteric fever 4, plague 1, and 13 from tuberculosis.

JAMAICA—Kingston.—Month of March, 1907. Estimated population, 52,065. Total number of deaths, 278, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 2, and 14 from phthisis pulmonalis.

MADEIRA—Funchal.—Three weeks ended April 7, 1907. Estimated population, 44,049. Total number of deaths, 85, including enteric fever 1, smallpox 3, and 10 from tuberculosis.

NEW ZEALAND—Auckland.—Month of February, 1907. Estimated population, 86,000. Total number of deaths reported, 75. Deaths from contagious diseases not reported.

NICARAGUA—San Juan del Norte.—Period from October 7, 1906, to March 16, 1907. Estimated population, 600. Total number of deaths, 13, including 2 from tuberculosis.

OCEANICA—Norfolk Island.—Year ended December 31, 1906. Estimated population, 971. Total number of deaths, 19, including 5 from tuberculosis.

RUSSIA—Riga.—Month of January, 1907. Estimated population, 320,000. Total number of deaths, 770, including diphtheria 5, measles 15, scarlet fever 4, typhus fever 2, and smallpox 1.

SPAIN—Barcelona.—Ten days ended April 10, 1907. Estimated population, 600,000. Total number of deaths, 460, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 2, measles 2, whooping cough 1, smallpox 8, and 30 from tuberculosis.

Cadiz.—Month of March, 1907. Estimated population, 69,382. Total number of deaths, 205, including whooping cough 2, smallpox 6, and 23 from tuberculosis.

Madrid.—Month of March, 1907. Estimated population, 547,399. Total number of deaths, 1,650, including diphtheria 7, enteric fever 14, measles 73, scarlet fever 1, whooping cough 3, and 194 from tuberculosis.

Seville.—Month of March, 1907. Estimated population, 148,315. Total number of deaths, 651, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 8, measles 9, whooping cough 12, smallpox 8, and 81 from tuberculosis.

SWITZERLAND.—Week ended March 30, 1907. Reports from 18 cities having an aggregate population of 867,056, show as follows: Total number of deaths, 285, including enteric fever 1, measles 6, scarlet fever 1, smallpox 1, and 56 from tuberculosis.

URUGUAY—*Montevideo*.—Month of February, 1907. Estimated population, 309,511. Total number of deaths, 354, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 13, plague 1, measles 2, and 41 from tuberculosis.

WEST INDIES—*Curaçao*.—Two weeks ended April 12, 1907. Estimated population, 31,600. Total number of deaths, 17. No deaths from contagious diseases reported.

Turks Islands.—Two weeks ended April 13, 1907. Estimated population, 1,700. Total number of deaths reported, 5, including 2 from tuberculosis.

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox from December 28, 1906, to May 3, 1907.

[Reports received by the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, from American consuls, through the Department of State, and from other sources.]

[For reports received from June 29, 1906, to December 28, 1906, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for December 28, 1906.]

[NOTE.—In accordance with custom, the tables of epidemic diseases are terminated semiannually and new tables begun.]

CHOLERA.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Ceylon:				
Colombo.....	Dec. 31-Feb. 2....	6	6	
India:				
Bombay.....	Nov. 28-Mar. 26....		55	
Calcutta.....	Nov. 11-Mar. 23....		2,167	
Cochin.....	Oct. 26-Feb. 22....		54	
Karachi.....	Nov. 2-Dec. 7.....	11	13	
Madras.....	Nov. 17-Mar. 22....		54	
Moulmine.....	Feb. 10-Mar. 2.....		48	
Negapatam.....	Oct. 27-Dec. 14....		12	
Rangoon.....	Nov. 25-Mar. 23....		286	
Tuticorin.....	Jan. 26-Feb. 15....		19	
Philippine Islands:				
Manila.....	Nov. 18-Dec. 1....	3	2	
Provinces—				
Capiz.....	Nov. 25-Feb. 9....	167	105	
Iloilo.....	Nov. 18-Dec. 1....	82	63	
Moro, Camp Vicars.....	Nov. 18-24.....	5	3	
Negros Occidental.....	Nov. 18-Jan. 12....	43	29	
Pampanga.....	Nov. 18-24.....	2	1	
Rizal.....	Nov. 18-Jan. 5.....	2	2	
Samar.....	Dec. 2-Feb. 9.....	49	34	
Tarlac.....	Nov. 18-24.....	2	2	
Siam:				
Bangkok.....	Jan. 22.....			Present.
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore.....	Jan. 1-Oct. 16....	185	167	1906.

YELLOW FEVER.

Africa:				
Dahomey.....	Nov. 17.....			Present.
Grand Popo.....	Jan. 15.....			Do.
Togo.....	Nov. 17.....			Do.
Upper Senegal and Niger...	Nov. 1-30.....	35	26	
Brazil:				
Manaos.....	Mar. 3-Apr. 6.....		12	
Niotheroy.....	Feb. 16.....	1		
Para.....	July 1-Apr. 6.....	24	80	
Pernambuco.....	Jan. 15-31.....		1	
Rio de Janeiro.....	Nov. 12-Mar. 24....	14	11	
Costa Rica:				
San Jose.....	Jan. 1-Dec. 31....	2		1906.
Cuba:				
Habana.....	Dec. 31-Apr. 4....	2		1 imported from Nueva Paz.
Santa Clara.....	Jan. 8-10.....	1	1	